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COMMITTEE ON BUILDING NAMED

FIRE COMPANY NO 2 TO HAVE NEW FIRE HALL ON SITE OF PRESENT FIREMEN'S HEADQUARTERS—WILL BE STRICTLY UP TO DATE.

MEMBERS OF COMMITTEE WILL MAKE TRIP AND INSPECT DIFFERENT STRUCTURES ABOUT BAY OF SAN FRANCISCO NEXT WEEK.

At the meeting of the members of Fire Company No. 2 held the other evening, a building committee was appointed for the erection of the new fire hall, which is to be built on the old fire hall site in a short while.

The members of the committee will make a trip about the bay cities for the purpose of inspecting the various fire houses before reporting to the city council on Monday evening, September 8th. Those on the committee for the new fire hall are as follows: C. B. Evans, W. A. Jones and J. McMullen. Plans are already being drawn for the new structure, which is to be a two story modern brick building containing quarters on the second floor for the members of the company. The fire house will contain all the modern and up-to-date improvements and, with the installing of the Gamewell fire alarm system in the building, will make it one of the most up-to-date fire houses for its size around the bay cities. The fire committee will hold a meeting at an early date for the purpose of reporting on their trip of inspection to the various fire halls in Oakland, Berkeley and San Francisco.

With the completion of the new fire hall the main alarm box of the Gamewell fire alarm system will be installed and will necessitate two men being kept constantly on the job for the handling of the calls coming from the various boxes located about the city.

MERRY PARTY TAKE TRIP ON THE BAY

A merry party, composed of Mr. and Mrs. E. DeLaney and Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Gregory spent Sunday on a yachting trip about the bay. The party left this city early in the morning on Captain Austin's yacht and returned home late that evening.

The party stopped for a short time on the Marin shores, where they ate lunch under the trees of Monticello Grove. From there they sailed around the bay with a number of the yachts from the Corinthian Yacht club.

MISS OWENS TO ENTERTAIN AT PARTY

Miss Mildred Owens, daughter of Senator J. C. Owens of this city, will entertain a number of her little friends at a birthday party to be held at her home tomorrow afternoon.

The little hostess will act as chaperon to a theatre party which will be given in the Richmond theatre, following which the little folks will return to the Owens home, where refreshments will be served. The home will be beautifully decorated for the occasion in greens with white streamers. Those who will participate in the party are as follows: Miss Ruth Davis, Miss Gladys Davis, Miss Mabel Woods, Miss Moline Boone, Miss Rowena Ferguson, Miss Verna White, Miss Margaret Sheppard and Miss Lucy Sheppard.

TRINITY GUILD TO DANCE THIS EVENING

This evening the ladies of the Trinity Guild of the Episcopal church will hold their social dance in Pythian hall. The ladies of the club spent all day in decorating the large hall at that place for the ball this evening, which is to be one of the largest attended dances given by the guild for some time.

Those on the committee for the affair are as follows: Mrs. E. H. Harlow, Ward Cummings, Mrs. Biggs and E. H. Harlow. At a late hour in the evening light refreshments will be served by the committee in charge.

WORKMAN FALLS FROM ELKS BUILDING

INJURIES WILL PROBABLY BE FATAL

R. A. Rodgers, a plasterer, while working on the new Elks' building this morning, fell a distance of twenty feet and sustained several fractured ribs, besides a severe shaking up.

Rodgers was working on the second floor at the time of the accident, when the scaffolding on which he was standing gave way and he fell, lighting on a wheelbarrow which had been left standing on the ground floor. Had his fall not been broken by a fellow workman who happened to be standing near at the time of the accident, it is probable that he might have been killed outright.

He was immediately rushed to the office of Dr. Hall Vestal, where he was given prompt medical treatment and was then conveyed to his home in Oakland, where he will be confined for some time. Rodgers was employed by T. D. Sexton, who has the plastering contract for the building.

Rodgers had only been working on the building but a short time and in company with his fellow workmen had been sent to the second story to finish up the plastering work. While working the men joshed about the scaffolding, which had been erected in a rather flimsy manner, when one of the supports gave way and Rodgers was thrown to the ground. Dr. Vestal, who happened to be passing at the time of the accident, was immediately summoned and the injured man was conveyed to his office.

The force of the fall had stunned Rodgers and he had to be carried on the arms of his fellow workmen. Whether he sustained any internal injuries cannot be learned for a few days.

BOARD LEASES LOCATION AT THE POINT

The library board last evening definitely decided to close the lease for the store on the corner of Park Place and Washington avenue for a reading room. Work will be started at once to fit the room up into a cheerful and comfortable place for the transient reader or the student. The corner is exceptionally well suited for this pupose, being very well lighted and most centrally located. It is the idea of the library board and the librarian to make this branch an honor to the town by its appointments. Some time ago visits were made by members of the library board to the two most attractive branches of the Oakland public library and notes were taken with a view of a coming change.

Mrs. Trull and the librarian also made trips on Monday to Berkeley and Oakland, visiting the children's rooms. The room in Berkeley was planned and carried out by Mrs. Whitbeck and was one of the first children's rooms around the bay. Work will be begun at once to remodel the smoking room, which is very little used. Although smaller than the Berkeley and Oakland rooms, every effort will be made to have it a beautiful place for the children to use. If the use of the library keeps pace with the town, still further expansion can be made by using the larger room adjoining. The librarian will devote her whole time during September to planning these improvements.

No action was taken in regard to an assistant, although several applications have been made. As trained library school help is desired, the board feels that time is needed to find the right one.

GOLDEN PLEADS GUILTY —NOW ON PROBATION

John Golden, who was arrested some time ago for the theft of a suit of clothes from the rooms of Billy Helms, was let out on probation this morning by Police Judge Lindsey.

Golden pleaded guilty to the offense, but upon his promising to lead a straightforward life in the future he touched a soft spot in the magistrate's heart, who finally consented to let him out on probation.

CONTRACTOR MAY LOSE EYESIGHT

Charles C. Brown, a plasterer residing at 134 First street, while working on the new Lombard building, which is being erected on the north side of Barrett avenue between Twenty-first and Twenty-second streets, fell from a scaffolding into a pile of lime which had been prepared for use on the building.

Brown was rushed to the offices of Dr. Fraser, where it was found that his eyesight had been greatly impaired.

Brown is well known in this city and his many friends will feel sorry to learn of the mishap, which will keep him under the doctor's care for some time.

ALL IN READINESS FOR MODESTO ELK GAME

The local "Bills" have completed all their arrangements for their Modesto trip on Sunday, September 7. The "Bills" have chartered a train from the Southern Pacific company which will leave this city at 8:15 o'clock that morning and return late that evening.

Manager Joe Rose of the team will have a number of new players on the Elks' line-up that day, as the "Bills" figure if they can come home with the long end of the score it will be another feather in their cap. The tickets for the trip are on sale at the following places of business:

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Schwartz' cigar stand.
Dickinson's News Stand.

DRILL TEAM VISITS OAKLAND LODGE

The drill team of Court Standard Foresters of America were the guests of Court Shellmound last evening at a social and banquet. The drill team made the trip to Oakland under the direction of Major Schwartz and made a very creditable showing.

SUPERINTENDENT FIXES DATE AT SEPT. 16

County Superintendent of Schools William H. Hanlon has fixed September 16th as the date for the commencement of the annual teachers' institute, which will convene in Richmond at the Lincoln school auditorium. The institute will close on Friday evening, September 19th.

There will be no lectures at the institute this year of a technical nature. It has been decided that all addresses will be along the general lines of teaching. The county superintendent of schools has not as yet given out the names of those who will take part in the institute, but it is said that the list will include some of the best known educators of the state.

THE FATHER OF PRISONER HERE

HEART-BROKEN PARENT ARRIVES IN RICHMOND THIS MORNING TO CONFER WITH ATTORNEYS WHO WILL DEFEND HIS DAUGHTER AT TRIAL.

LEARNED FOR FIRST TIME LAST WEDNESDAY THAT HIS DAUGHTER WAS IN TROUBLE—IS PROMINENT CONTRACTOR IN FRESNO, THIS STATE.

E. Spangler, a prominent contractor of Fresno, and father of Mrs. Josephine Tonsing, who is confined in the county jail at Martinez charged with the murder of Francis Tonsing on the evening of July 5th, and whose case comes up in the superior court in special session on the third of September, is in

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"To Observations Which Ourselves We Make, We Grow More Partial, for the Observer's Sake."

A Very Watery Subject

Being a life-long Democrat we are not supposed to know much about water, and to tell to advise going slowly about accumulating a million dollars' worth until all the ins and outs of the problem are gone over carefully. That a supply of water for Richmond and adjacent territory can be obtained by a system of wells and a reservoir in the San Pablo hills may be true as far as present needs are concerned, and perhaps for a few years into the future, but that a city of 100,000 inhabitants, such as Richmond is destined to be in future years, can thus be adequately supplied does not sound reasonable, or a city of half that number of people, either. That Richmond will ultimately be a big city there is no reasonable doubt. There are now deeds to 54,000 residence lots in this city of record at the county court house. As not one-tenth of the lots here have been sold other than on long time payment contracts, it is reasonable to conclude that there are hundreds of thousands of these contracts out, which call for deeds when final payment is made. If one-fourth of these lots paid for and being paid for are ever built upon, and families live in the houses, it means a very large city—as big as San Francisco or bigger. And there are a great many other very good reasons which go to prove that the Richmond of the future will be something very big.

These people are all going to want water. Some will want to drink it, some will take baths in it and many use it for scrubbing purposes, to say nothing about putting out fires, sprinkling streets, mixing mortar and sprinkling lawns, flowers and gardens. If wells enough were ever dug to supply a demand for water like that, this whole surrounding country for miles around would look like a sieve, or a Swiss cheese—it would be punctured fuller of holes than an old tire or a new Mexican president. Something else other than wells is going to be necessary. The piping of the San Joaquin river clear across Contra Costa county is a big scheme, and it is going to cost an awful lot of money, but on its face it looks quite feasible, and perhaps it is; and then again perhaps it is not. We do not know, but it looks like a scheme of that magnitude for a community not so very large as yet should be approached with care, deep study into all circumstances and the very best expert testimony and careful examination.

As a starter to any kind of a municipal water system we believe that a reservoir in the San Pablo hills adjacent to this town should be constructed in any event, whether we pipe down the San Joaquin river, dig wells or buy a supply of water from some big company that may in future have a lot of it to offer. This, with a few wells, can start the municipal scheme, and later on, no matter what is done, a reservoir will be needed any way.

A few days ago we bumped into an old acquaintance over in San Francisco in the person of Joe Harvester, who knows all about water. [illegible]ct, he is a regular fish—swims in it, and has been known to drink it. Mr. Harvester told us more facts and figures about water than we ever heard before, and as some of it is very interesting we will tell you what little we can remember, as it might have a bearing upon our own municipal water supply problem. Harvester has some connection with a big company that owns the Sierra Blue lakes, containing an unlimited and never ending supply of fine mountain water. This company wants to bring this water down to the bay cities, including Oakland, San Francisco and all other towns and cities in this locality, as well as furnishing the country traversed en route. He says that it is conceded that to bring the Hetch-Hetchy water to the bay cities will cost $45,000,000; that the Modesto and Turlock irrigationists (a fast growing community) must be allowed 4000 cubic second feet because of priority of claim, equal to 2,592,000,000 gallons per day (we did not suppose there was that much water outside of the ocean), or sixty-four times the capacity of Spring Valley, before the bay cities could even take a drink, after such a system had been built. The bay cities, Mr. Harvester says, would have the pleasure of paying the $45,000,000 and all other bills, while the irrigationists, in case of a few succeeding dry seasons or further growth of their communities, would take all the water.

The Sierra Blue Lakes, Mr. Harvester says, have a sure and safe supply on hand, to be had for a whole lot less money, and if this be true it would seem that the bay cities ought to be investigating it and not jump into the expenditure of many millions of dollars for a supply of Hetch-Hetchy water, which may prove entirely inadequate, or any other like scheme. It is stated, also, that it will take six years to bring Hetch-Hetchy water to the bay, even if the government agrees to it, which is not sure as yet.

As we get it from Mr. Harvester, the Sierra Blue Lakes, according to United States government engineers' reports, have a watershed of similar character and approximately similar extent as the Hetch-Hetchy and are forty-six miles nearer to the bay cities. It is practically a gravity proposition, requiring no large pumping plants, and no serious and expensive engineering problem, such as the eleven miles of tunnel on the Hetch-Hetchy. The water and power company owning this vast supply offers to bring it to the bay cities and pour it in never ending quantities into local distributing systems inside of three years and at millions of dollars less cost than the other plan.

We have not investigated this matter other than a long confab with Mr. Harvester, whom we know to be a man of honor, integrity and great general knowledge, but it would seem at first glance that it would be well for all the bay cities, and especially those of the east shore, to call a big mass meeting, get together and look into this important matter very closely and carefully. It might save us all a whole lot of various kinds of mistakes.

As we said before, we do not know much about water, but if we were going to buy several millions of dollars worth of it we should want to be mighty sure that the barrels did not leak, either at the spigot or bunghole.

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Salvador has accepted Mr. Bryan's peace plan, but Mexico, Venezuela, China, the Balkans and William Randolph Hearst still remain in constant eruption.

It is well for a preacher to impress it upon his hearers that life is short, for short it is, but he ought to keep that in mind, also, in writing his sermon.

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Then the reporter was shown through box after box of the latest styles in shirts and other new fall wearing apparel. The newest models in headwear and the famous Packard shoes came in for their share of inspection and in summing up the entire display the writer could not but congratulate Mr. Kurtz on his most excellent assemblage of modern clothes for men.

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Harry Aines will conduct the members of the board through the plant and will see that nothing is overlooked in the way of explaining to the members of the board the cost of piping and the various sizes which can be secured for the purpose of supplying water to the people of this city.

RICHMOND COUPLE TO BE MARRIED SOON

Cupid is still at work in this city, the latest Richmond couple to feel the effects of his darts being Miss Enid Snyder, former high school girl, and Ben Spagnoli, son of a well known pioneer.

The date of the wedding has not yet been announced, but it is probable that it will take place in a few days at the Snyder home in this city. Miss Snyder is a very talented young lady and is well known in this city, while Mr. Spagnoli has a host of friends, having formerly been connected with the Star garage.

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The board of arbitrtors, composed of E. J. Gerrard, J. Gibb, H. Conn and R. L. Fernald, which met in the council room of the city hall yesterday afternoon to decide the question of the city purchasing the property of C. E. Bennet, located in the path of the proposed municipal tunnel, came to a satisfactory agreement whereby they allowed the claimant $4750.

The board held session the whole of the afternoon, and it was only at the last minute that the members of the board and Bennet finally agreed to the terms. At first Bennet was offered $3500, but he refused this on the grounds that it was not enough, as he has three lots and a residence on the property. After considerable arguing on both sides it was finally agreed by both the members of the board and Bennet that a settlement of $4750 would be satisfactory. The matter will come up before the council Monday evening, at which time Bennet will turn over his deeds to his property. He has been given seventy days from the time that he turns the deeds over to the city to erect a new ersidence for himself. This, with the exception of the Nicholl rights, now gives the city a clear way through the hills to the water front.

BAPTISTS HAVE A NEW MINISTER

The congregation of the Calvary Baptist church has secure dthe services of a new minister, a Rev. W. S. Stewart, who has had charge of the Baptist church at Biggs, this state, for several years. Mr. Stewart is said to be one of the most eloquent divines in the state, and the members of the Calvary Baptist church feel that they have done well in securing his services. The new minister will preach his first sermon at the Calvary Baptist church, on Tenth street between Barrett and Nevin avenues, on September 21st.

CLASSIFIED ADS

Too Late To Classify

FOR SALE—2 lots, 50x112.5, 150 feet from Macdonald avenue; $450 each, at 1524 Macdonald avenue. Aug. 24-5t

ASPHALT BURNS AND CAUSES EXCITEMENT

The asphalt kettle belonging to the Municipal Improvement company, containing over a hundred gallons of the liquid, caught on fire this afternoon and caused considerable excitement among the people living around Seventh and Chanslor.

The liquid asphalt is heated in a large kettle for the purpose of spreading it over the streets and it was while this process was going on that the fire started. The men working on the street at the time tried to extinguish the blaze with sand, but the fire had gained too much headway and an alarm had to be turned in for Fire Company No. 2. The blaze was soon extinguished with the aid of water and chemicals.

A GREAT DAY

Just been down to see the CIRCUS PARADE and who should I meet but Andy and Marie. They had just been to CHERRY'S and bought them some new clothes and they said they certainly were nice.

Nothing would do them but I must go down and look in their windows, and, say, they certainly do carry the nicest clothing, both for men and ladies, that I have seen anywhere. Their new FALL GOODS are coming in now every day, and they are absolutely up-to-date in every particular. Their prices? They are the cheapest I have seen anywhere. Marie paid only $22.50 for her suit, and I am sure it is as nice and good as those I have seen elsewhere for $30.00. And in their MEN'S STORE their new FALL SUITS and OVERCOATS are something grand—all of the latest styles and patterns. And the fitting—absolutely perfect.

But that is not the best of it: CHERRY'S sell you their CLOTHING on EASY PAYMENTS. You don't have to take a sack full of money to get an outfit of them. Just take enough to make your first payment and the remainder you can pay just as may be convenient for you, either by the week or month. I am going down there to get me a nice coat next week and I will take you along. Their place? They have stores in three cities: Oakland stores, 528 Thirteenth street for MEN and 515 Thirteenth street for LADIES. San Francisco, 1009 Market street for Men and Ladies, and 2400 Mission street for Men and Ladies. Los Angeles, 636 S. Broadway for Men and Ladies.—Advt.

No Place Like MOSBACHER'S FOR VALUES

OUR $25 SUITS

have that rich and distinctive appearance with novel ideas in the wraping of the garment that novel ideas in the draping of the garments that are priced at $35.00 and $40.00. Through unusual efforts we are able to give values at $25.00 that others do not duplicate for even $30.00 and $40.00. And with it all we make

No Charges For Alterations

SUITS

which represent equally as good values at $12.50, $15.00, $17.50, $20.00, $30.00, $35.00, $40.00

NEW DRESSES

The materials in dresses were never more beautiful and luxurious, the styles never as snappy and chic. You will be impressed by the unusual style and character of these dresses. We priced them very moderately—$7.50 to $25.00.

COATS

with striking new features in both design and material—$7.95 to $40.00

Smart New Waists

Shadow Laces and Chiffon—$3.50, $5.00, $5.95, $6.00, $7.50, $8.50

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"THE LAND OF LIONS"
Two Reels
"SAFE IN JAIL"
AND ONE OTHER

RICHMOND TAILORS MEET WITH SUCCESS

The Richmond Tailors at 1109 Macdonald avenue are meeting with splendid success in their business. Excellent materials, good workmanship and moderate prices are drawing them a good share of patronage. Both women's and men's suits and overcoats will be made to order, and absolute satisfaction guaranteed.

In addition to tailoring, they do cleaning, pressing and repairing. Suits pressed, 75¢. Phone 7091.—Advt.

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Clean out your flies with Dunlap's newly patented flytrap. Gets them sure.

See demonstration on streets. Address A. Dunlap, Richmond, California.

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We know you'll like the conveniences of our larger store, for they add much to your comfort in trading with us. Plenty of room to move around in, and everything so arranged that you can choose at your leisure.

We invite you to visit us, whether you care to purchase or not, for we are justly proud of our new location and want you to see the many features that tend to make this the leading grocery store in Richmond.

Telephone 1051

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THE GROCER

147 Richmond Ave.

LOCAL MENTION

Pertinent Remarks About Well-known People in Richmond and Happenings About Town

George Glum and family have returned from their vacation spent in the Santa Cruz mountains.

Editor Ebsen of the Pinole Times was a visitor to Richmond yesterday.

Miss Hazel Bibby, a school teacher of Los Banos, has been the guest of her sister, Mrs. F. H. Wilkins, the past few days.

The ladies of the Art Interchange club entertained their husbands at the home of Mrs. E. L. Jones, corner of Seventh street and Chanslor avenue last evening. The evening was spent in social games and other forms of amusement. Delicious refreshments were served.

Ira V. Hunt and his sister, Tara, the latter being the well known musician, have departed for England for an extended visit.

I. N. Foss, formerly editor of the Daily Independent, has been appointed secretary of the Tulare Fruit Growers' association.

Onetah Tribe of Red Men is making elaborate preparations for its sixth annual dancing party, which the members of the order will give at East Shore park on the evening of September 27th. The committees have been appointed to complete arrangements and the affair promises to be one of the most brilliant ever given by a fraternal organization in Richmond.

The members of Zephyr Rebekah Lodge will hold a whist party tomorrow evening in Fraternal hall, on Richmond avenue, at the Point. Twenty hands of whist will be played and beautiful prizes will be awarded to the lucky ones.

B. F. Gaylord, the well known contractor, who recently succeeded in getting himself in a peck of trouble in Richmond over issuing bad checks, is in business in Oakland. He is advertising himself as a non-certified architect and home builder.

A permanent building committee was named by the members of the Richmond Aerie of Eagles at a meeting last evening held in A. O. U. W. hall. The committee is composed of Dr. C. R. Blake, Ed McDuff, Fred Hartwick and Frank W. Smith. The Aerie is getting its plans in shape for a new home in Pullman. H. D. Mason was named last evening at the meeting as chaplain of the order. He is one of the most popular members of the organization.

Mr. and Mrs. Margaret Yost of Cheney, Washington, who have been the guests of Mrs. W. J. Scroggs, departed for their northern home this morning. Mrs. Yost is head of the State Normal school of Cheney, and is considered one of the foremost educators of the northwest.

Attorney C. A. Odell of the firm of Odell Hall, was an Oakland visitor today on legal business in Department 1 of the superior court of Alameda county.

The circus did not parade in Oakland today on account of the fact that the trains carrying the circus were late into Oakland. It is said that the circus management had a strike on its hands in Sacramento yesterday and was delayed in getting out of the capital city.

E. H. Hartman of the Fairview hotel has secured a patent on an automatic mail carrier which he hopes will be adopted by the federal government.

NEW FALL SWEATERS

Full lines of the newest models are here for your inspection. A larger assortment and better value than we have ever shown before, no matter what kind of Plain Sweater or Sweater Coat you desire, we can surely please you in this large stock.

SWEATER COATS, $1.50
Good quality in colors of Gray, Red, Blue and Brown.

RUFNECK SWEATERS, $3.50
Elastic knit, form fitting; colors are Oxford, Cardinal and Navy.

RUFNECK SWEATERS, $5.00
Heavy shaker knit with double collar. Colors Oxford, Cardinal and Navy.

RUFNECK SWEATERS, $6.50
Heavy rope stitch Sweaters in colors of Oxford, Cardinal, Tan and Navy.

RUFNECK SWEATERS, $7.00
These are of the heaviest rope stitch made and are wonderful values. All colors.

RUFNECK SWEATERS, $8.00
They are the heavy angora weave and exceedingly pretty. Be sure and see these.

Byron Neck Sweaters
ALL KINDS AND ALL COLORS, RANGING IN PRICE FROM
$1.50 to $2.50

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THE CLOTHIER
106 Macdonald Ave. Richmond, Cal.

MIGHTY VALUES

Abrahamsons
THE HOME OF FASHION
OAKLAND, CALIF. 13TH & WASHINGTON STS.

COATS AT $14.95

These coats should sell for $25.00, but our buyer while in New York bought an entire lot, and secured a price that enables us to offer them as an EXTRA SPECIAL. They are Coats of all materials, trimmed with velvet and imitation furs. A wonder for the price. Saturday's Extra Special ..$14.95

STYLE DEMANDS SAILORS

We have them, nobby ones, too. Made of satin and hatters' plush, with velvet facing in shades of black, navy and brown. For Saturday....$2.25

Jaunty Suits $27.50

Suits that are not shown elsewhere will be found in this beautiful collection of Sample Suits.

It is a real pleasure to look at them and see the many styles and colors and, above all, the materials are of the newest brocades and rough finished fancy cloths. Saturday is the day. Values to $50.00.....$27.50

OUR MILLINERY SECTION

offers exceptional values, together with the assistance of expert designers. The most fastidious customer can be pleased, as it is a pleasure to show the incoming styles which arrive daily.

Wool Dresses At $9.95

New pretty styles that have just arrived. Made of brocaded, plain and fancy weave materials; trimmed with satin and buttons; draped skirt effect. Clever values at $15.00. Saturday $9.95

BRING THE YOUNGSTERS

to our Millinery Department, where they can be pleased, as we specialize on Children's and Misses' Millinery. Shapes of Plushes, Paons, Satin and Velour. Trimmings of all kinds and a pretty line of Trimmed Hats, priced from $2.50 to $7.50.

MODELS AT $7.50

These trimmed models have all the beauty of a Paris shop; shapes of plush, velour and moire, trimmed with the new fancies of the season. To appreciate this value you must see them Saturday $7.50

COZY LOUNGING ROBES $2.89

Made of double faced German Flannel, trimmed with loops, cord and tassel; large variety of patterns; $3.50 value; Saturday $2.89

Children's Hose 16⅔c

Made of best quality, combed yarn; high spliced heels and toes; elastic top; fine French rib; black, white and tan. Sold everywhere at 25c.

Ribbon Section

Offers one excellent special—all our 35c and 45c fancy ribbons, Dresden, striped and polka dot effects suitable for hair bows, sashes and millinery use, 5 to 6 inches wide, all, per yard 29c

Lingerie Waists

Lot 1 95c | Lot 2 $1.25

This beautiful line we have divided into two lots and you will find values that you have never seen offered at such low figures. Lot No. 1, 95c; Lot No. 2, $1.25. Come early while the assortment is complete.

NECKWEAR SECTION

Dainty neckwear, which adds so much to the appearance, will always be found at Abrahamson's, and reasonably priced.

New Effects and Styles in Lace Collars
Which come in white and cream designs that are snappy and effective. Prices range—
35c, 50c, 65c, 95c, $1.25, $1.50 and up

Neck Ruffles and Frills
Cream, white and ecru, the style that will add much to your tailored suit. Price—
25c, 35c, 50c, 65c

Venice Lace Collars and Cuff Sets
Rich in appearance, all pretty designs, Cream, White and Ecru; $3.00 values $1.95

NEW TUB DRESSES $2.25

Just received, a shipment of Tub Dresses suitable for street and house wear; made of figured and plain lawns; neatly trimmed. Others of embroidered linen and ratine; a most magnificent lot. All sizes. Values range from $3.00 to $5.00. All go for Saturday $2.25

Glove Section

Women's Lamb Skin Gloves, overseam, two-clasp, all shades. all shades. A very dressy and durable glove; $1.25 value, pair 95c

Women's Burson Hose 19c.

Fast black seamless foot, elastic top; all sizes; regular 25c; Saturday, pair.....19c

OUR HUMAN HAIR DEMONSTRATION

IS STILL ON. GET YOUR HAIR DRESSED BY AN EXPERT. LUSTROUS SWITCHES FROM 95c TO $35.
SEE THIS BEAUTIFUL DISPLAY

INITIAL TOWELS

Extra fine quality Face Towel with embroidered initial 25c

DOUBLE BED SHEETS

Good quality muslin, size for double bed. Special, each 56c

PILLOW CASES

Made of soft finished muslin; size, 45x36. Special 12 1-2c

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FORTY DEPARTMENTS

THIS STORE CLOSES ALL DAY MONDAY
LABOR DAY

New Silk Crepes

IN LOVELY COLORS AND DESIGNS

A beautiful, soft, silky fabric in a great variety of colors and designs, the floral pattern being much in evidence. FLORAL CREPES with jacquard grounds in very smart colors—primrose, niggerhead, royal, Rose of Sharon, violet, yucca, besnard, gold, biscuit and French bronze; 40 inches wide. Prices $2.00, $2.50, $3.00, $3.50.

New Furniture Coverings

Some extremely handsome TAPESTRIES have been received for furniture covering—heavy, serviceable goods—50 inches wide. The yard.....$1.25 to $5.50

"The Winner" Gymnasium Suits

GUARANTEED TO FIT ANY FIGURE WITHOUT ALTERATION

The waist and bloomers form one complete suit, opening from the top only, made with an adjustable belt. The entire weight hangs from the shoulders, giving perfect ease and free play in exercising. Sizes 34 to 40.
NAVY PANAMA CLOTH.....$3.50
NAVY MOHAIR $4.50
MISSES (Panama Cloth) $3.00
[Second Floor]

Thermos Lunch Kits

THE NEW MODEL PINT AND QUART THERMOS comes in green pebbled case and has all the features of the higher priced bottles at ONE-HALF THE PRICE.
PINTS $1.25
QUARTS $2.25
ALL NICKLE THERMOS BOTTLES—Half-pint, pint and quart, separable type.....$2.00, $2.50, $3.50
THERMOS DRINKING CUPS—
Sets of 4 .....$1.00
Sets of 6 .....$1.25
(Trunk Section)

Sale of One-Piece Wash Dresses Continued

This sale started with such a large number of Dresses and such a pleasing variety that there is still a very good assortment from which to choose. Pretty, dainty models in white and colors, suitable for house wear, afternoon and informal occasions. Greatly reduced.

Former Price to $3.45—
Selling price $1.45
Former Price to $4.85—
Selling Price $1.95
Former Price to $5.75—
Selling Price to $2.85
Former Price to $9.75—
Selling Price $4.95
Former Price to $24.75—Selling Price $6.75

New Flannels and Robings

BATH ROBINGS—A large assortment of new designs and juvenile patterns in light, dark and medium colors. The yard 35c
LORRAINE SCOTCH TENNIS FLANNEL—New in colors and styles. Stripes prevailing and many new woven effects in all the popular wash colors. 30-inch.....40c
(Main Floor)

Eiderdown and Blanket Robes

with satin and cord trimmings, high and low necks, light and dark shades and a variety of patterns—
$2.45, $3.45, $4.85 up to $12.50

CLAY AT 14TH AT 15TH
OAKLAND

REMODELING SALE
OF SHOES
Lowering Household Shoe Bills

Interest in this sale grows more intense as the days go by, for neighbor tells neighbor of the bargain they have obtained and with the spreading news comes new customers from every corner of Contra Costa County.

There'll be a day, however, when this sale will close, and those who have neglected the opportunity to save will have regrets. Are you going to be one of them?

Women's Shoes at Cut Prices

$4.00 Patent Leather Button Shoes ---------- $2.95
$4.00 Patent Leather Shoes, broken sizes ---------- $2.45
$3.50 Patent Leather Button Shoes ---------- $2.45
$4.00 Brown and Black Velvet and Black Suede $2.35
$4.00 Gun Metal Button Shoes ---------- $2.95
$3.00 Gun Metal Button Shoes ---------- $1.95
$4.50 White Nubuck Shoes ---------- $2.95
$3.50 White Nubuck Shoes ---------- $2.15
$3.50 Vici Kid Shoes "American Lady" ---------- $2.65
$2.50 Vici Kid Button Shoes ---------- $1.65
$2.00 Vici Kid Button Shoes ---------- $1.45
$4.00 Tan Button Shoes $2.85
$3.50 Tan Button Shoes $2.45
$3.00 Tan Button Shoes $2.15
$2.75 White Canvas Button Shoes ---------- $1.95
$2.50 White Canvas Button Shoes ---------- $1.65

Women's Low Shoes $1.25
Values to $3

This is an assortment of Oxfords, Pumps and Strap Sandals, in Tan, Patent Leather, Gun Metal, Vici Kid, etc. Not all sizes in any one line, but all sizes in the combined lines.

Men's Shoes at Large Saving

$2.50 Gun Metal Shoes ---- $1.95
$4.50 Gun Metal Button or Blucher Shoes ---------- $2.85
$4.00 Gun Metal, Button or Blucher Shoes ---------- $2.65
$3.50 Gun Metal, Button or Blucher Shoes ---------- $2.35
$4.00 Tan, Button or Blucher Shoes ---------- $2.65
$5.00 Chrome Calf Work Shoes ---------- $3.95
$4.00 Flexible Sole, Work Shoes ---------- $2.95
$3.50 Patent Leather Button or Blucher Shoes ---------- $2.35
$4.00 Patent Leather Button or Blucher Shoes ---------- $2.65
$4.50 Patent Leather Button or Blucher ---------- $2.95
$5.00 Tan Button Shoes $3.15
$3.50 Tan Button or Blucher Shoes ---------- $2.35
$3.00 Box Calf Work Shoes at ---------- $2.15
$1.50 Tan and Black Slippers at ---------- 95c

Men's Oxfords $1.95
VALUES TO $4.00

A good assortment of Patent Leather, Vici Kid and Tan Oxfords that we want to turn out in a hurry. They're all right—every one of them, but Oxford time with us is about over for this season.

Young Ladies School Shoes
Sizes 2 1-2 to 5, Low Heel Models

$3.00 Patent Leather High Cut Shoes ---------- $2.35
$2.75 Patent Leather Button Shoes ---------- $2.15
$2.50 Patent Leather Button Shoes ---------- $1.85
$3.00 Tan High Cut Shoes at ---------- $2.35
$3.00 Gun Metal Button Shoes ---------- $2.35
$2.50 Vici Kid Button Shoes at ---------- $1.95
$2.00 Vici Kid Button Shoes at ---------- $1.45
$3.00 High Cut Nubuck Shoes at ---------- $2.25
$2.75 Tan High Cut Shoes at ---------- $2.15

Cut Prices on Misses Shoes
Sizes 11 1-2 to 2

$2.75 Patent Leather High Cut Button Shoes ---- $2.15
$2.50 Patent Leather High Cut Button Shoes ---- $1.95
$2.00 Patent Leather High Cut Button Shoes ---- $1.45
$2.50 Gun Metal Button Shoes ---------- $1.85
$2.50 Gun Metal Button Shoes ---------- $1.85
$2.25 Vici Kid Button Shoes at ---------- $1.75
$1.75 Vici Kid Button Shoes at ---------- $1.25
$2.50 Tan Button Shoes at ---------- $1.65

$2.75 WHITE NUBUCK SHOES CUT TO $1.95

Boys' Shoes

$3.50 Box Calf, Tan, Patent and Gun Metal ---------- $2.45
$3.00 Box Calf, Tan, Patent and Gun Metal ---------- $2.15
$2.50 Box Calf, Tan, Patent and Gun Metal ---------- $1.85
$2.00 Box Calf, Tan, Patent and Gun Metal ---------- $1.45

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FEDERAL AID TO BE ASKED IN CAMPAIGN

In an effort to recruit more federal help in the campaign to exterminate the plague carrying squirrels of the nine bay counties, which on Wednesday, by resolution of the state board of health, were declared "existing focuses of infectious and contagious disease," Dr. W. F. Snow, secretary of the California Board of Health, left Thursday night for Washington to confer with the surgeon-general of the United States.

Dr. Snow says that it is the intention of the board of health, if the federal government will lend its monetary assistance, to kill every squirrel in the "danger zone."

"If we once get the source of infection removed we can keep things under control," said Dr. Snow. "It will cost a big sum, however, to accomplish the task, and the state board of health will ask the United States government to contribute liberally. We desire to remove all possibility of bubonic plague from infected rodents by 1915."

Last year the state and federal governments spent jointly $185,733 in killing the rodents.

The last human case of plague was reported in July from San Benito county, where a Japanese woman who had been working in the fields was taken down. It is thought by the board of health experts that she got the disease from a flea bite, the insect having previously bitten an infected ground squirrel.

The counties in which the greatest amount of the state contagious disease fund will probably be spent, together with what money the federal government subscribes are: Santa Cruz, Santa Clara, San Benito, Stanislaus, San Joaquin, Contra Costa, Monterey, Merced and Alameda.

TENNIS CRACKS STAR AT HIGH SCHOOL

Tennis, which is on in full swing at the local high school, is proving to be one of the greatest sports that has struck the local institution for some time.

Not only the boys of the school are playing the game made famous by Maurice McLaughlin, but also the girls who, by the playing show that they are becoming "cracks" at the pastime. The games played yesterday afternoon were the fastest that have been played on the courts for some time. The doubles resulted in a sweeping victory for Stewart and Noyes, who easily defeated Moore and Milnes. In the singles Perrine walked away from Clarence Brown.

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6....	.50	.90	1.20	2.00	3.00
7....	.60	1.05	1.40	2.25	3.50
8....	.70	1.20	1.60	2.50	4.00
9....	.80	1.35	1.80	2.75	4.50
10....	.90	1.50	2.00	3.00	5.00

Classified ads will be taken over the phone and collections made by messenger on payment of 10c extra for messenger service.

REAL ESTATE FOR SALE

FOR EXCHANGE—6-room and sleeping porch, cement covered house in exclusive district of Oakland; $7500; want business lot in Richmond. Pair of 4-room flats in Alameda, $3500, to exchange for lot in Richmond or will put in both of the above on improved property. Grant O. Harde, 260 Bacon Bldg, Oakland, Cal. aug29-4t

FOR SALE—Five-room house with bath; $250 down, $15 monthly; no interest for one year; party leaves for the country. 3634 Bissell avenue. au28t6

HOUSE and two lots in fine location to trade for vacant lots. Address Box 184, Richmond, Cal. ju8tf

FOR SALE—Six-room house, hard finished; lot 37½ x 110 feet; 9-foot basement; windmill and tank. Price $2300; easy terms. This is a snap. H. E. WYATT, 600 Ripley avenue. Phone 5191.

FOR SALE—A beautiful 5-room bungalow, just completed, one lot, Eighth street, south of Chanslor avenue; $300 down. Information at 151 Eighth street. Owner at 315 Nevin avenue. m21tf

FOR SALE—Two lots, 50 by 110 feet, one First St. between Ripley and Pennsylvania Ave.; house of 3 rooms, plumbing, city sewer; would consider trade and or all of the following: Pair of good work mares, 2-horse wagon, gasoline engine and wood saw, shotgun and modern rifle as part of cash payment; otherwise want $560 cash, balance $940, $10 a month at 7 per cent interest. Inq. at 346 1st St.

FOUND

FOUND—Near Lang's drug store, small gold locket containing piece of hair; locket engraved on face. Owner can have same by identifying article and paying for ad at this office. July24tf

WANTED—MISCELLANEOUS

WANTED—Job printing of every description; Record-Herald job department; estimates given; prices reasonable. Phone Richmond 701.

WANTED—Farmer who has got team and implements to go on ranch in Concord valley and work it on shares; first-class opportunity for man and wife who understand the business. Address Box 184, Richmond, Cal. jul8tf

FOR SALE

FOR SALE—Some fine rugs, chairs, beds, and one dresser. Telephone Richmond 7711. jul8tf

LOST

LOST—Small gold locket and rope chain; initials "E. I. H." Return to Record-Herald office. aug29-6t

WANTED—Job printing of every description; Record-Herald job department; estimates given; prices reasonable. Phone Richmond 701.

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Floyd Haynes will impersonate a Hindu fakir, while Ralph Beck will have charge of the chicken booth, in which he will be the chief rooster. A brass band is to be on hand, composed of the Misses Minnie, Mary, Mabel and Annie Smith, Edward Kitto and Will Richards. Ed Cochran will be invested with the authority of town constable and will see to it that peace and quietness shall reign, even if he has to fight for it. The auditorium of the church is to be beautifully decorated for the occasion in streamers and greens.

GUN CLUB TO HOLD SHOOT

The next shoot of the Richmond Gun Club will be held at the local club grounds on Sunday, September 7th. The members of the club have not held a shoot for some time and plan to hold a few more blue rock breaking events before the rainy weather sets in.

It is probable that the shoot to be held on September 7th will be the first of the prize shoots for cash prizes which will be awarded to the member securing the largest number of broken blue rocks to his credit.

FUN FESTIVAL AT THE OAKLAND THEATRE

There is something of a fun festival to be enjoyed at the Oakland Orpheum this week, the laugh making features being predominant in the vaudeville program. One of the greatest successes made by any sketch in recent months is scored by George Ade's delightful comedy play, "Speaking to Father." In this play "Father" is portrayed by Milton Pollock, one of the best known character actors in America. Every member of the cast is an artist and the result is a most delightful bit of comedy entertainment.

The George Ade play is to be seen only during this week. All the other acts, with one exception, will close their engagement next Saturday night. There are but two more days of the Bell Family of nine musicians; Ward Baker, the violinist; Will Rogers, the Oklahoma cowboy, who is achieving a very great success; the DuFor boys, English dancers; Rameses, the Egyptian magician; Mack and Williams, novelty dancers.

Of especial interest to Oakland theatre goers is the announcement of Edwards Davis, formerly a prominent clergyman of Oakland, who will be the star at the Orpheum next week in a beautiful production called "The Kingdom of Destiny." This is an allegory, written in rhyming verse, and in form is reminiscent of "Everyman," "Pilgrim's Progress" of John Bunyan or Chaucer's "Canterbury Tales."

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The list has been printed in pamphlet form and will be distributed among the teachers on the first day of the institute. Here is the list:

EDUCATION

History—Theory—Essays

Allen—Place of history in education; 1910.

Bolton—Principles of education; 1911.

Blow—Educational issues in the kindergarden; 1909.

Boyd—Educational theory of Jean Jacques Rousseau.

Brown — The American high school; 1911.

Carlton—Education and industrial evolution; 1910.

Colvin—The learning process; 1911.

Corbin—Which college for the boy; 1908.

Davenport—Education for efficiency; 1909.

Dean—The worker and the state; 1910.

Dexter—History of education in the United States; 1911.

Findlay—The school; 1912.

Foght — The American rural school.

Gayley—Idols of education; 1910.

Huxley—Science and education.

Hyde—The college man and the college woman; 1906.

James—Talks to teachers on psychology.

Jordan—College and the man; 1907.

Monroe—Source book of the history of education; 1906.

Munsterberg—Psychology and the teacher; 1912.

O'Shea—Dynamic factors in education; 1907.

Palmer—The teacher; 1908.

Rousseau—Emile.

Scott—Social education; 1908.

Sidis — Philistine and genius; 1908.

Spencer—Education.

Teaching—Methods—Discipline

Bagley—Classroom management; 1910.

Betts—The recitation; 1910.

Chancellor—Class teaching and management; 1910.

Comstock—Handbook of nature study; 1911.

Fisher—A Montesorri mother; 1912.

Hyde—The teacher's philosophy in and out of school; 1910.

Ladd—The teacher's practical philosophy; 1911.

McMurry—How to study and teaching how to study; 1909.

Montesorri — The Montesorri method.

Munroe—New demands in education; 1912.

Perry—Outlines of school administration; 1912.

Perry—Problems of the elementary school; 1910.

Public School methods; 8v.

Sage—Occupations for little fingers; 1910.

Smith—The Montesorri system; 1912.

Smith—Home-made kindergarden; 1912.

Thorndike—Education.

Tyler—Growth and education; 1907.

Aids For Foreigners

Baker—Every day English; 1912.

Chancellor—Standard short course for evening schools.

Field—English for new Americans; 1911.

Houghton—First lessons in English for foreigners; 1911.

Plass—Civics in simple lessons for foreigners; 1912.

Sharpe—A first reader for foreigners; 1911.

Hygiene—Special Training Manual Training

Allen—Civics and health; 1909.

Ayres—Laggards in our public schools; 1909.

Ayres—Open air schools; 1909.

Binns—Principles of educational woodwork; 1909.

Chicago School of Civics. The child in the city; 1912.

Davison — Gymnastic dancing; 1912.

Dudley—Athletic games in the education of women; 1909.

Gillette — Vocational training; 1910.

Gulick—Medical inspection of schools; 1913.

Johnson—Education by plays and games; 1907.

Perry—Wider use of the school plant; 1911.

Row—Educational meaning of manual arts and industries.

Snedden—Problems of vocational education; 1910.

Talbot—The education of women; 1910.

Ethics—Morals—Religion

Alexander—Boy training; 1912.

Allen—Making the best of our children; 1909.

Burbank—Training the human plant.

Cabot—Ethics for children.

Dawson—The child and his religion; 1909.

Fiske—Boy life and self-government.

Forbush—The boy problem.

Hall—From youth into manhood; 1909.

Merrill—Winning the boy; 1908.

Moral training in the public schools; 1907.

Palmer—Ethical and moral instruction in schools; 1908.

Puffer—Boy and his gang; 1912.

Key—Century of the child; 1909.

Latimer—Girl and woman; 1912.

Sisson—Essentials of character; 1911.

Wayne—Building your girl; 1911.

Wayne—Building the young man; 1912.

Wile—Sex education; 1912.

Zenner—Education in sexual hygiene; 1910.

Reading—Self-Culture

Cody—How and what to read; 1905.

Field—Fingerposts to children's reading; 1912.

MacClintock—Literature in the elementary schools; 1907.

Macy—Child's guide to reading; 1909.

Moses—Children's books and reading; 1907.

Olcott—The children's reading; 1912.

Pryde—What books to read and how to read; 1912.

Stories—Story-Telling

Bailey—For the children's hour; 1907.

Bryant—How to tell stories to children; 1905.

Bryant—Stories to tell children; 1907.

Coe—First book of stories for the story-teller; 1910.

Coe—Second book of stories for the story-teller; 1913.

Lyman—Story-telling, what to tell and how to tell it; 1907.

O'Grady — Story-teller's book; 1912.

Partridge—Story-telling in school and home; 1913.

Salisbury—Index to short stories, an aid to the teacher.

Welsh — Stories children love; 1909.

Wiggin—The story hour.

Wiltse—Place of the story in early education.

Books on Debating

Foster—Essentials of exposition and argument.

Robbins—High school debate book

Ringwalt—Briefs on public questions.

Selected Articles on—

Child labor.

Compulsory arbitration of industrial disputes.

Capital punishment.

Initiative and referendum.

Parcels post.

Open versus closed shop.

Municipal government.

Municipal ownership.

Federal control of interstate corporations.

Central bank of United States.

Woman suffrage.

Employment of women.

Income tax.

Enlargement of United States navy.

Direct primaries.

Election of United States senators.

Books of General Interest on Current Topics

Abbott — Woman in industry; 1910.

Addams—Democracy and social ethics; 1902.

Addams—Spirit of youth and the city streets.

Allen—Woman's part in government.

Antin—Promised land.

Chubb—Festivals and plays.

Coolidge—Why women are so.

Ellis—Task of social hygiene.

Gilman—Woman and economics.

Hard—The woman of tomorrow.

James—On some of life's ideals.

Key—The woman movement.

Palmer—Life of Alice Freeman Palmer.

Needham—Folk festivals.

Shreiner—Woman and labor.

Tarbell—Business of being a woman.

Periodicals

General Literature and Education

Bookman.

Chatutauquan.

Current Opinion.

Dial.

Educational Review.

Elementary School Teacher.

Forum.

Home Progress.

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Literary Digest

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Arista Ansel, a bay filly, by the good young sire, Prince Ansel, dam Arstia by Nushagak, and Lottie Ansel, a full sister to the good trotter, Prince Lot, out of Lottie by San Diego, and owned by John W. Considine, owener of the Wodland Stock Farm, are two fillies that must be reckoned with, as they both carry the blood of old Dexter Prince, and were bred and raised on the same farm which is the home of so many fast futurity prospects.

Carlos, by Carlokin, dam My Irene S., by Petigru, Rags of Del Coronado, dam Athrine, the dam of Copra de Ora, 1:59, Miss Gaily by George W. McKinney, and Gaucho by Nobage out of Zobrell by Zombro, all carry the blood of the famous race horse and sire McKinney, and will all have to be figured with when they turn for the word in the Occident Stake, which will be held on Tuesday, Septemebr 16th.

The 2:20 pace and the 2:20 trot for amateurs only, with owners driving, for which two handsome silver trophies will be given, each have an entry of nine horses. In the 2:20 trot the choice of the field seems to be the little bay mare, Dione II, trial 2:11½, by Cupid, out of Dione, 2:07 3-4, by Eros. This little mare is a four-cornered steady trotter and is a half-sister to Bernice R., 2:07½, and a half sister to the three-year-old futurity prospect, Panama, by Kinney Lou, who recently trotted a mile in a matinee at Sacramento in 2:13½ and won his heat and race, showing him to be a good game consistent baby.

In the pacing race the pick of the field from a breeding standpoint would appear to be Guy Borden, by Guy Dillon out of Carlotta Wilkes, dam of the fast little pacing mare, Inferlotta, 2:04 3-4, and several others. Guy Borden has proven his worth as a race horse by anexing several good races this year and there is no reason to beleive that he should not reduce his record over the Sacramento track, which is one of the fastest tracks on the coast this year.

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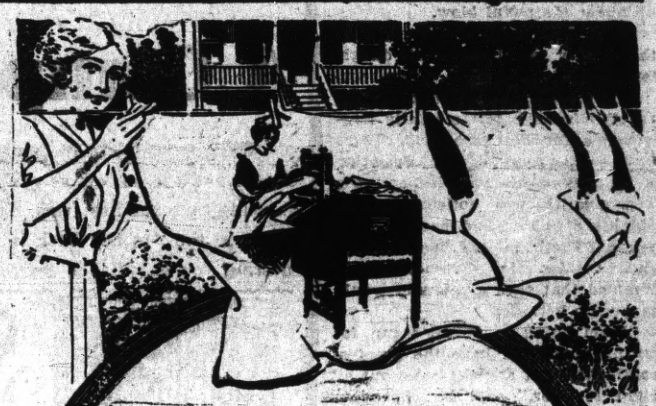
MOOSE HALL DIRECTORS TO MEET TUESDAY EVE.

The Moose Hall association will meet in the offices of Attorney Wildgrube on next Tuesday evening for the purpose of completing their plans and arrangements for their new building, which is to be erected on Sixth street opposite the postoffice.

Everything is in readiness now for the laying of the cornerstone, which will take place in a few weeks.



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SPECIAL RATES FOR THE PORTOLA FESTIVAL

SAN FRANCISCO, Aug. 29.—Special rates for the Portola Festival have been prepared by the four railroads entering San Francisco. While California is working to make the fiesta of October 22 to 25 next a pace-setter in American holidays, unusual terms to bring spectators from all over the west have been made by the Southern Pacific, the Western Pacific, the Santa Fe and the Northwestern Pacific. Exceptional facilities for a long stay in San Francisco are given, the return date limit being October 31.

A fare and a third for the round trip is offered, with stopover privileges on the return trip.

The Portola Festival will be the Pacific Coast's celebration of the 400th anniversary of the discovery of the Pacific Ocean by Balboa, and it will be worth the trip.

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THE FATHER OF PRISONER HERE

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town, having arrived on an early train this morning from his home in the Southland.

Mr. Spangler received a letter from Attorneys Odell, Hall and DeLap last Wednesday advising him of his daughter's predicament and he immediately made arrangements to come to Richmond. He was in conference with the attorneys in the case for several hours this morning and departed on the 11:30 Southern Pacific train for Martinez to see his daughter.

Mr. Spangler is a heartbroken man and when interviewed by a representative of The Record-Herald this morning stated that the shock was more than he could stand, although he was endeavoring to bear up under the awful blow.

He said he had the greatest hope that a jury would acquit his daughter, as he thought her condition was such at the time of the tragedy that she was mentally irresponsible for her rash act. Tears came to the eyes of Mr. Spangler as he recited his troubles and his deep anguish was noticeable. He said his daughter had been a good girl, and both he and her mother, who resides in Fresno, never dreamed that such a calamity would happen to her.

"I am going to do all I can for my daughter and have the greatest confidence that all will come out all right for her," said Mr. Spangler. "When a jury hears her story," continued Mr. Spangler, "I know they will bring in a verdict of not guilty. When her story is heard and the world knows the awful suffering my poor daughter was subjected to, the sympathies of the entire public will be with her."

Mr. Spangler is well along in years, being 66 years of age, and has made a most favorable impression on all whom he has met in Richmond. The sympathies of the people of Richmond are with his daughter, and it is conceded that it will be very hard for the public prosecutor to secure a verdict of guilty from a jury.

Although the trial of Mrs. Tonsing has been set for September 3rd, it is understood that a postponement will be made on account of the weak condition of the defendant, who is still suffering great mental and physical pain as the result of her attempt to end her own life.

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